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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371				DATE: November 5, 2004
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/IB2004/000396		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE February 5, 2004		PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED February 13, 2003
TITLE OF INVENTION: A CAPSULE TO BE USED TO PREPARE AN INFUSED BEVERAGE				
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Fabio FRANCESCHI (Mordano, Italy)				
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:				
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.				
2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.				
3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.				
4. <input type="checkbox"/> The U.S. has been elected (Article 31).				
5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]				
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).				
b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.				
c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).				
6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application into English [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)].				
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.				
b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).				
7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)]				
a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).				
b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.				
c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.				
d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.				
8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)].				
9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)].				
10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)].				
Items 11 to 20 below concern other document(s) or information included:				
11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98; and PTO-1449 Form & 4 refs.				
12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.				
13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment.				
14. <input type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.				
15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.				
16. <input type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.				
17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.				
18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).				
19. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).				
20. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: Drawings Figs. 1-6 (2 sheets); Form PCT/IB/308; Form PCT/IB/304; Form PCT/IB/301; Form PCT/RO/101; Form PCT/IB/311; Form PCT/ISA/237; Form PCT/ISA/210 & copy of International Application No. WO 2004/071899 A1.				

